

Iron County Register.

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IRONTON, : : MISSOURI

Police Commissioner Greene, of New York, on the 29th, revoked 322 permits issued to Italians for the carrying of concealed weapons.

John W. Springer announced, at Denver, Col., on the 29th, that \$25,000,000 had been subscribed to fight the proposed packers' trust.

Col. Luther M. Strong, who served in the Fifty-third and Fifty-fourth congresses, died at his home in Kenton, O., on the 27th, aged 65.

Count Cassini, Russian ambassador, decided, on the 27th, on the advice of his physician, not to go to St. Louis to attend the dedication ceremonies.

Charles H. Robb was, on the 27th, appointed assistant attorney general for the post office department to fill the place vacated by James N. Tyner.

The Japanese foreign office, on the 29th, published a telegram announcing that Russia had completely evacuated the Shing King province of Manchuria.

The interstate commerce commission, on the 27th, issued a bulletin on railroad accidents for three months showing 266 persons were killed and 2,785 injured.

The war department, on the 29th, made public that portion of the report of Gen. Miles which refers to misconduct of officers and soldiers in the Philippines.

Attorney-General Knox, on the 29th, appointed J. C. McReynolds, of Tennessee, assistant attorney general of the United States, to succeed James M. Beck, resigned.

Five hundred stockmen organized, in Chicago, on the 27th, and elected officers to arrange for an international live stock exposition to be held there in December.

It was reported on excellent authority, on the 27th, that the wedding of Miss Ruth Hanna, youngest daughter of Senator Hanna, will take place at Thomasville, Ga., June 9.

Irvine M. Scott, who for many years was vice-president and general manager of the Union iron works and builder of the battleship Oregon, died, on the 28th, in San Francisco.

Receiver Lloyd F. Hamilton was, on the 28th, discharged by the court at Bloomington, Ill., having wound up the affairs of the National Home Building and Loan association.

At the last moment it was decided by diplomats in Washington interested in the Russia-Manchuria situation not to leave the capital, but to remain in touch with Secretary Hay.

Cablegrams from Tokyo, Japan, on the 28th, confirmed the report that American war vessels are assembling at Yokohama in view of danger to American interests in the Manchurian trouble.

A rumor is out to the effect that the British battleships Formidable and Venerable had collided in the Mediterranean. The British admiralty declined to confirm or deny the report.

The expulsion of the friars from Chartreuse monastery, in France, was accomplished, on the 29th, without any serious difficulty. Infantry and a squadron of dragoons assisted the police.

Gov. Pennypacker, on the 28th, issued a proclamation calling on all persons in Pennsylvania to aid in displaying at the Louisiana Purchase exposition the state's manifold resources.

Three thousand miners in the ninth sub-district of Illinois, struck, on the 30th, because operators refused to come to an agreement by which the differences existing should be settled in a sub-district joint convention.

The regular session of the Hawaiian legislature ended at midnight on the 29th. Eighty-eight acts passed by the legislature received Gov. Dole's signature. The bill providing a city government for Honolulu was vetoed.

The buildings of the Louisiana Purchase exposition, in St. Louis, were, on the 30th, formally dedicated to their purpose with all possible pomp and ceremony. Addresses were made by President Roosevelt and ex-President Cleveland.

The third trial of James Howard for the killing of William Goebel, resulted, at Frankfort, Ky., on the 30th, in a life sentence. The jurors took only one ballot on the question of guilt or innocence, all 12 voting for a verdict of guilty.

It is reported from St. Petersburg that if America becomes troublesome Russia is ready to make special arrangements with her and receive certain desirable advantages in return for opening the Manchuria door to American products.

Judge W. M. Robinson, of the Missouri supreme court, on the 28th, issued a temporary writ of habeas corpus in the case of Page and Hickox, who were held for refusing to tell where they got \$1,000 and \$500 bills during the session of the legislature.

Cole Hickox, senate clerk, and Editor I. N. Page, of Bonne Terre, were, on the 27th, held in contempt of court at Jefferson City, Mo., for refusing to tell the grand jury where they secured currency bills of large denomination during the session of the last legislature.

Monday, April 27, the anniversary of the birth of Gen. U. S. Grant, was celebrated in the usual manner at Galena, Ill., with Hon. W. E. Gurley, of Omaha, Neb., as the speaker. The Illinois society of St. Louis celebrated with a banquet at the Flatters hotel, at which Brig-Gen. F. D. Grant and Mrs. Grant were the guests of honor.

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NEWS AND NOTES.

A Summary of Important Events.

PERSONAL AND GENERAL

The committee appointed to investigate charges of bribery in the Illinois legislature submitted a final report, on the 30th, declaring that no real attempt was made to bribe Speaker John H. Miller.

The young ladies of St. Louis joined Gov. Bailey of Kansas as he passed in the dedication parade at St. Louis, on the 30th, and invited him to come to St. Louis and divest himself of his bachelor's degree.

Russia has apparently backed down from her demands upon China in regard to the cession of Manchuria, using the convenient diplomatic subterfuge of denial of the accuracy of the reports sent out by the press agencies.

Brig-Gen. Fred D. Grant was easily recognized by the old civil war veterans as he led his brigade in the dedication parade at St. Louis, owing to his strong resemblance of his illustrious father as he was known to the soldiers in the latter part of the war. The general had the finest moment in the parade, Village Boy.

Ex-President Cleveland had no cause to imagine that he had lost his place in the estimation of the people, judging from the manner of his reception by the vast throng that crowded the building wherein the World's fair dedication exercises were held at St. Louis.

Elsie Barrett, who shot Bessie Palmer, the actress, in Chicago, last January, was, on the 29th, found guilty on the second count in the indictment charging criminal negligence.

The case of James Howard, twice tried and convicted as a principal in the murder of Gov. William Goebel, was submitted to the jury at Frankfort, Ky., again on the 29th.

Three persons were killed and four others were seriously injured, on the 29th, by the wrecking of a Vandalia passenger train in the railroad yards at Terre Haute, Ind.

Stuart Robson, the veteran comedian, died of heart disease at the Hotel Savoy, New York, on the 29th. He was 67 years old, and had been on the stage for 51 years.

King Edward visited Pope Leo at the Vatican, on the 29th, going direct from the British embassy in a closed carriage.

The grand jury adjourned, on the 29th, at Jefferson City, Mo., to the 1st, because of World's fair holiday in St. Louis.

Six story buildings in the central part of the Canadian Soo were destroyed by fire, on the 29th; loss, \$100,000.

In commemoration of the centennial of the signing of the treaty of the cession of the Louisiana territory, interesting ceremonies were held, on the 30th, in the old Cabildo, at New Orleans.

Miss Ada Storey, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hampton L. Storey, was married, on the 30th, at Pasadena, Cal., to Robert H. Ripley, son of President E. P. Ripley of the Santa Fe road.

Two masked men grabbed a package containing \$10,000 from Agent Peterson, of the United States Express Co., while a train was standing at Britt, Ia., on the 30th, and escaped.

Federal court at Indianapolis, Ind., on the 30th, refused to grant a writ of habeas corpus in the case of Moses Fowler Chase. The case goes to the United States supreme court.

The Ottoman and Mytilene banks, in Salonica, European Turkey, were destroyed by dynamite on the 30th. Several arrests have been made.

Paul du Chailu, American author and explorer, who was stricken with partial paralysis, on the 29th, died in St. Petersburg on the 30th.

Frederick C. Fisher, who confessed to burning his wife to death, was sentenced, at Riverside, Cal., on the 30th, to be hanged July 14.

The plant of the Cresson powder works, near Hollidaysburg, Pa., was, on the 30th, wrecked by an explosion. Nine workmen were killed.

George L. Lorillard, a son of the late Pierre Lorillard, was, on the 30th, appointed second secretary of legation at Havana.

One life was lost and \$10,000 damage done by a fire at Loretto, Pa., on the 30th.

United States Consul Landger was fined \$7.50 and sentenced to prison for three days by the judge of a court at Balingen, Prussia, for disorderly conduct in the court room where he was present as a witness.

James B. Wilson, editor and proprietor of the Knights of Fidelity News, national organ of the saloonkeepers, dropped dead, on the 1st, in his office at Indianapolis, Ind., from a stroke of apoplexy.

The St. Louis, Iron Mountain & Southern railroad, of St. Louis, on the 1st, filed with the secretary of state, at Jefferson City, Mo., a certificate of increase of capital stock from \$69,000,000 to \$119,000,000.

Warrants for the arrest of T. H. Cox, William Shinn, David Gray, Pike Brannum, Lon Shaw, Lee Jackson and Carl Palmer were issued at Bloomington, Ind., on the 1st, on charge of white-capping.

The grand jury at Jefferson City, Mo., began an investigation, on the 1st, into alleged attempts to hold-up stock yards people during the session of the Missouri legislature.

The barbed-wire monastery of the Capuchins at Marseilles, France, was taken, on the 1st, by the police, who arrested the friars and their sympathizers within the building.

Nebraska university, on the 1st, defeated the University of Missouri in annual debate, and thereby claims the championship of the middle west. The decision of the judges was unanimous.

Another body was found, on the 1st, near the ruins of the Cresson Powder Co.'s plant, making ten dead as a result of the explosion, on the 30th, at Hollidaysburg, Pa.

The village of Morrison, Pa., containing a mill and about a dozen farm houses, were entirely destroyed by forest fires on the 1st. The inhabitants fled.

A heavy snowstorm set in over the Adirondacks, on the 1st, practically checking the fierce forest fires. The temperature dropped about fifty degrees.

Foreign buildings at the World's fair at St. Louis were dedicated on the 1st, the day set apart on the official programme as "International Day."

A new child labor law went into effect throughout South Carolina on the 1st. No child under ten can legally work in any cotton mill.

The Mueller traction bill, authorizing municipal ownership, passed the lower branch of the Illinois legislature on the 1st.

Bishop Randolph S. Foster, of the M. E. church, died, on the 1st, at Boston, aged 83 years. Death was due to apoplexy.

Capt. J. B. Ford, the pioneer manufacturer of plate glass, died in Pittsburgh, Pa., on the 1st, of cancer.

T. H. Bunch & Co.'s grain elevator at Little Rock, Ark., was destroyed by fire, on the 1st; loss, \$60,000.

LATE NEWS ITEMS.

Two hundred women and men fought hand to hand with each other and then fought hand in hand against the police in the Slavonic Roman Catholic church at Joliet, Ill., on the 3d. No one knows how the riot started or what it was about.

Frank Carfa, an Italian miner, was stabbed through the heart at Walston, Pa., on the 3d, by a recent arrival from Italy. The manner in which the murder was committed indicates that the deed had been planned by the Mafia.

Mrs. Lineburger and her son were found dead at Bristol, Tex., on the 3d, both having been chopped to pieces with an ax. The husband and father was found on his farm with his brains blown out with a shotgun.

Rev. Paul T. Johnson was dismissed, on the 3d, from the pastorate of a Lutheran church in Columbus, O., because of his declaration made from the pulpit that he had received some new revelations on the Bible.

E. W. Brady, for many years a well-known newspaper correspondent in Washington, died there, on the 3d, of Bright's disease, aged 54 years. Capt. Brady was a native of Indiana.

John H. Sanderfer, a democratic politician of Pennsylvania, and famous as a baseball player a quarter of a century ago, died in Philadelphia on the 3d. He was 55 years old.

O. G. Milne, postmaster at Teoloban, island of Leyte, P. I., convicted of misappropriating government funds, was, on the 3d, sentenced to seven years' imprisonment.

Col. Jos. Gonzales Blas, commanding the second battalion, was killed in Bacalar, Yucatan, on the 3d, in an ambush prepared for Mexican troops by a band of hostile Mayas.

Mrs. P. A. Leech died at her home in Macedonia, Ia., on the 3d, from heart failure. Mrs. Leech served as army nurse with Grant's army through the civil war.

J. Curtis Harrington, alias J. C. Curtis, of Schuylerville, N. Y., was arrested, on the 3d, at Fon Du Lac, Wis., charged with forging a draft for \$1,500.

The workshops of the Russian locomotive and gun works burned down at Kharhoff on the 3d. The loss is \$500,000.

Fire, on the 3d, destroyed the tannery of C. A. Mueller, at Port Washington, Wis.; loss, \$50,000.

Andrew Fremyer, a wealthy stockman of Worth county, Mo., who was sent to the state insane asylum at St. Joseph, Mo., on April 23, died, on the 4th, from injuries alleged to have been inflicted by an attendant. James Costin is under arrest.

The advisory board of the master builders' exchange in Philadelphia, on the 4th, announced the decision of the employers to refuse to recognize the "sympathetic strike" clause in the wage schedule of the various trades.

Trustees of Columbia university (N. Y.), on the 4th, announced the appointment of Prof. James Brown Scott, dean of the law school of the University of Illinois, to a professorship in the law school.

Detectives, on the 4th, recovered money stolen from the Britt (Ia.) express office on the 30th ult. Three thousand dollars was found under the office and \$1,000 more was recovered from a secret source.

Charles J. Humphrey shot and killed himself, on the 4th, at Wellington, Kas. Humphrey was worth \$60,000. It is supposed that ill-health was the cause of his suicide.

The city council of Montreal, Can., on the 4th, rescinded a resolution, adopted in April, 1902, accepting an offer of \$150,000 from Andrew Carnegie for a library building.

A warrant was issued, on the 4th, for Edward S. Bingham, of Montgomery, Ind., charging an attempt to blackmail George B. Brown and the citizens of Montgomery.

The Philippine commission, on the 4th, put a premium on matrimony by making an increase of \$15 (gold) per month in the salary allowances of married officers.

The Pennsylvania supreme court, on the 4th, affirmed a ruling of the late Judge Arnold in which the latter refused to charter a Christian Science association.

Twenty thousand people welcomed President Roosevelt when the special train bearing the presidential party arrived in Colorado Springs, Col., on the 4th.

Montgomery M. Crandall, aged 45, of St. Joseph, Mo., democratic politician of note, died at El Paso, Tex., on the 4th, with tuberculosis.

Rev. David Ford, D. D., well-known Baptist clergyman and writer, died in Hanover, Mass., on the 4th, aged 82.

MISSOURI STATE NEWS.

The New Lieutenant Governor.

St. Louis, April 28.—A newspaper man, a member of the legislature from this city, has this to say of Senator Ruby:

Thomas L. Ruby, who became lieutenant governor after the resignation of John A. Lee, is a banker, and his home is at La Plata, Macon county. During the last session of the general assembly Mr. Ruby was elected president of the senate pro tempore, and therefore assumes the duties of lieutenant-governor by virtue of a provision of the constitution, and will fill the position of lieutenant-governor until his term as senator expires. He does not relinquish his office as state senator, in case Gov. Dockery should become incapacitated, or die, or in any way be incapacitated to fill the office of governor, the speaker of the house would assume the duties. That position is now filled by Hon. James H. Whitewater, of Monroe county. When ever Gov. Dockery leaves the state, Senator Ruby will be acting governor until the governor is restored.

Mr. Ruby is 41, and is a very pleasant, quiet and unassuming gentleman. He was absent very long from the session of the general assembly. Mrs. Ruby remains with her husband, a greater part of the time while he performs his legislative duties at Jefferson City. She is about the same age as her husband, and she often sat with her husband at his desk in the senate, and frequently visited the house, and the ladies wives of the representatives. At the west end of the house is a well-lighted vacant space, where the ladies assemble, and visit and watch the proceedings. Mr. and Mrs. Ruby lived quietly in Jefferson City, avoiding hotel life, and making hosts of friends. When the general assembly adjourned, Senator Ruby announced his candidacy for lieutenant-governor in 1904.

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Didn't Know He Had Arrived. The governor of Colorado and staff visited St. Louis to attend the World's fair exercises, but failed to notify the proper committee, and his presence was not noticed. Of course the incident was regretted by the World's fair officials, but a governor is a very small personage when a president, a former president, several standing presidential candidates, and big guns and their flunkies are as numerous as pretty girls in Missouri.

The Cold Spell. Snow fell in northwest Missouri April 30, and in many places snow covered the ground May 1. The entire state was chilled from the cold breath of the blizzard that raged over the Dakotas, Nebraska and portions of Kansas. On the morning of May 1 there was a severe frost that extended into southern Missouri, and ice formed as far south as 75 miles below St. Louis. Much damage was caused to small fruits and gardens.

Bad Luck in a Lump. Mrs. Sarah Osborne, 3519 North Second street, St. Louis, has had hard luck all in a lump. She received a telegram from Wisconsin that her brother was dying; her little daughter fell from a chair and broke an arm; her son, aged 16, was hurt in a rolling mill; two children were stricken with diphtheria, and she is not feeling well herself.

Supreme Court Turned Them Loose. The supreme court released Page and Hickox, held at Jefferson City, holding that they could not be compelled to give testimony that would tend to convict themselves. This is an important ruling and many believe it will have a bearing on the boodle investigations at Jefferson City and St. Louis.

Visitors With Spring Suits. Thousands of people attended the dedication exercises of the World's fair opening at St. Louis, from distant points, attired in their spring suits. Women without wraps suffered terribly, and many left the grounds to seek places of shelter and warmth.

Was Well Known in St. Joseph. Dr. A. S. Long, a practicing physician in St. Joseph for nearly forty years, died from inflammatory rheumatism. He was 63, and was formerly a member of the city council. He had also been city and county physician and superintendent of the county farm.

Paid to Visit the Monitor. The monitor Arkansas, on its visit to St. Louis, was visited by thousands, at 25 cents per head. The vessel was anchored near the Illinois shore, and the ferry boats transported the people to and from the vessel.

Was Assassinated. Ernest E. Stephens, a distant relative of former Gov. Stephens, of Missouri, was assassinated in his room at Pleasant Green. Some one shot him through a window, causing death an hour later.

Surgeon Allowed a Big Fee. The probate court of St. Louis county allowed a doctor \$3,000 for a surgical operation on a man's head. The doctor wanted \$5,000. The man is dead; but it was a difficult operation.

One Hundred and Fifty Funerals. Fully 150 funerals were held in St. Louis Sunday, May 3. This was due to the fact that no funerals were held in the city from Wednesday, April 29, on account of dedication ceremonies.

Cattle Pancher in a Bull Fight. Ed Beckham was seriously injured while trying to separate two bulls which engaged in a fierce fight. He was a cattle puncher at the St. Louis stock yards.

Attempted to Murder His Wife. Frank Strelid, of 1706 De Kalb street, St. Louis, attempted to murder his wife by cutting her throat because she had left him. Arrested.

Refused to Ride Horseback. Gov. Dockery refused to ride horseback so did not lead the Missouri national guard in the parade at World's fair dedication.

Because He Was Rejected. W. R. Humphreys, a well-to-do resident of Hannibal, shot himself and died. Failure to gain admission into a lodge probable cause.

At His Sweetheart's Door. Charles F. Young, aged 27, shot himself in the head, while sitting at the door of his sweetheart's home, in St. Louis, and may die.

Death of John C. Yocum. John C. Yocum, of Kansas City, most worshipful grand master of the grand lodge, A. F. & A. M. of Missouri, died in Kansas.

Carried 1,000,000 Passengers. It is estimated that the street cars of St. Louis transported 1,000,000 passengers World's fair dedication day.

GORGEOUS CIVIC PARADE.

Visiting Governors and Other Officials Saw New St. Louis Out in Holiday Attire.

PLAUDITS WERE GENEROUSLY GIVEN.

The Infinite Variety of the Parade Lent a Charm to It that the More Formal Ones Lacked, and Kept the Interest of the Onlookers From Start to Finish.

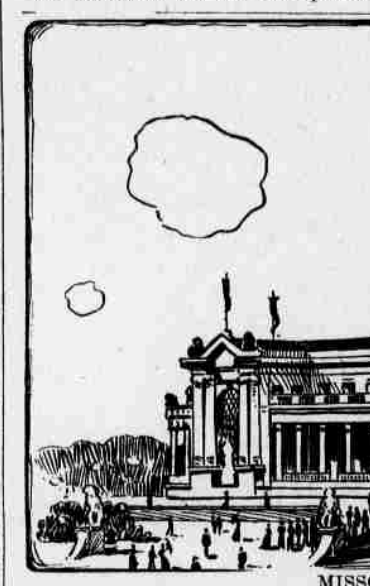
St. Louis, May 3.—St. Louis passed in review, Saturday, before the governors of the states.

The gorgeousness of the spectacle elicited from the executives a tribute of enraptured applause.

The civic parade, last but not least of the public spectacles of dedication week, took place in the early forenoon over the boulevard and park route, followed by the processions of Thursday and Friday. Tens of thousands saw it and applauded it.



COL. E. J. SPENCER, Grand Marshal. The governors of states reviewed the procession from the reviewing stand at the World's fair grounds. Ready for the signal. The marchers for the civic parade



MISSOURI STATE BUILDING AT WORLD'S FAIR.

were ready when the signal was given. Since early in the morning the marchers had been moving from all parts of the city toward the rendezvous.

The formation lacked the military precision of that of Thursday, but the willingness of spirit was there. The marchers wore honor medals, national costumes and business dress, and each man was proud of his division, and tried to march in a way that would add to the credit of his organization.

The uniforms of the civilian aids were of the undress sort, adorned with a yellow sash. What they lacked in uniformity they made in color and individuality.

The regular army men loaned to Grand Marshal Col. E. J. Spencer by Maj-Gen. Corbin, and experienced national guard officers were here, there and everywhere, performing the duties assigned them by the division commanders with even more enthusiasm than they displayed when on military duty.

The spirit of rivalry among the divisions was strong, but at the same time all worked with accord to make the parade a success.

The ovation was continuous. It started with the first notes from the Marine band at the head of the parade.

Grand Marshal Spencer came in for a large share, and Col. Batdorf, his chief of staff, was recognized all along the line.

City Officials Were Applauded. Joseph W. Folk, the circuit attorney, and chief of staff to Gen. John W. Noble, marshal of the First division, was heartily greeted.

Other well-known city officials were applauded as they came into sight. They were in the Third division, commanded by Col. Harry Hawes, who was heartily greeted. The gaily decorated fire apparatus and the firemen in this division were popular.

For the governors of the various states and their military aids, the guests of the day, there was the same hearty reception of former days, but some of those who had become better known were received with even more acclaim.

Following the carriages of the governors came the carriages of the official guests, the diplomats and dignitaries who are still in St. Louis.

So it went on down the line. In the Fifth division, the high school and college cadets, several detachments from prominent Missouri schools, were loudly cheered.

The St. Louis Mercantile association, in the Fourth division, divided honors with the Masonic division, the Sixth.

The Seventh division, composed of lodges, was received with hearty acclaim, as were the Catholic orders in the Eighth and Ninth.

The turners, in athletic costumes, and the postal men, in the Eleventh, were applauded, as were the miscellaneous societies, including the Swedish National society, in the Twelfth. The Indians, cowboys, Oklahoma's representatives, and Col. Zach Muhlman, in the Thirteenth, created great applause.

THE MISSOURI BUILDING.

The Corner Stone of the Missouri Building at the St. Louis World's Fair Laid.

GRAND MASTER W. F. KUHN OFFICIATED.

The Building is Designed to Be the Finest State Building Ever Erected at a World's Fair—The Washington Gavel Was Used in the Masonic Ceremonies.

St. Louis, May 3.—The laying of the corner stone of the Missouri building at the World's fair grounds took place at 4 p. m., Saturday, on the site of the Missouri building just south of the government building within a stone's throw of the cottage in Forest park. The programme was as follows:

Invocation by the chaplain of the grand lodge of Missouri, A. F. & A. M.

Introduction of the Missouri commission, who presided at the ceremonies. Address by Alexander M. Dockery, governor of Missouri.

Address by David R. Francis, president of the Louisiana Purchase Exposition Co.

Address by Joseph W. Folk, circuit attorney of St. Louis.

Laying of the corner stone by W. F. Kuhn, grand master of the grand lodge, A. F. & A. M.

Introduction of the tools with which the stone was laid by Isaac S. Taylor, architect of the building and director of works of the exposition.

Address by W. F. Kuhn, grand master of the grand lodge, A. F. & A. M. Benediction.

The corner stone is of Carthage building stone. It was quarried and dressed in Missouri and was presented by the Carthage Stone Co. Its dimensions are 2 1/2 feet by 3 feet by 11 inches. It is inscribed:

Louisiana Purchase Exposition, Missouri Building, A. F. & A. M. of Missouri, May 3, A. D. 1904. A. M. G. W. F. Kuhn, Grand Master.

Alexander M. Dockery, Governor.

The intention is to use the corner stone as the bed of a monument to be erected on the site of the Missouri building to commemorate forever with appropriate inscriptions Missouri's participation in the Louisiana Purchase exposition. No metallic case was placed inside the stone, as is usual with corner stones, because the building will be temporary. When, however, the monument is erected the case will be installed.

The Missouri building will be the finest state building ever built at a World's fair. The dimensions of the building, over all, are 311 feet 6 inches by 175 feet 9 1/2 inches. The gavel used for the laying of the corner stone is known as the Washington gavel, and was used by George Washington in Masonic lodge meetings. This implement was also used in laying the corner stone of the capitol at Washington.

Shortly before noon the sites allotted to Iowa and Oklahoma territory were formally dedicated.

Present For the President. Cheyenne, Wyo., May 3.—The citizens of Cheyenne will present President Roosevelt on his visit to this city with one of the finest rough riding outfits ever seen in the west. It will be composed of saddle, bridle, quirt, spurs and Navajo blanket and will cost \$400.

Missing Railroad Man. San Francisco, May 3.—W. R. Vico for many years Pacific coast agent for the Union Pacific railroad, is missing from his office in this city and his whereabouts is unknown.

Three Children Incinerated. Baltimore, May 3.—Wm. Hughes, three years old, and his sister, aged two years, and Harold Gardner, one year of age, were incinerated, Friday, in the home of the father of the two first named at Lansdowne, a suburb of this city.

Reached Canton in Safety. Shanghai, May 3.—The American and Japanese engineers who were attacked by Chinese at Tuen Yen, in the North river, have reached Canton in safety.